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TRAVIS AND RELATED FAMILIES GENEALOGICAL MATERIALS 1790-[1920-1996]-2001

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INTRODUCTION

This finding aid focuses on Travis and Related Families Genealogical Materials, 1790-[1920-1996]-2001, by Margaret Travis Gray (1923-) of Louisville, Kentucky, in 1982-2001. The collection consists of copies of records compiled by Mrs. Gray on the family of her great-grandfather David Travis (1816-1882) and his children of Rutherford and Cannon Counties, Tennessee.

The research in this collection is a continuation of an earlier work compiled by Mrs. Gray on the family history of the ancestors of her father, Emmet Alexander Travis (1895-1984). That collection, entitled Travis Ancestors of Emmet Alexander Travis Genealogical Materials, 1790-[1860-1988]-1996, is also in the Tennessee State Library and Archives holdings (see Accession Number 1998.135.04).

The materials in this finding aid measure one linear foot. There are no restrictions on the materials. Single photocopies of unpublished writings in the Travis and Related Families Genealogical Materials may be made for individual or scholarly research.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Travis and Related Families Genealogical Materials compiled by Margaret Travis Gray, containing approximately 2100 items span the period 1790-2001, although the bulk is confined to 1920-1996. The collection is composed of Bible records, census records, certificates (birth), clippings, correspondence, diaries, genealogical data (family group sheets; generation charts, and individual information sheets), land records (deeds), maps, marriage records, obituaries, photographs, publications ("The Travis Family and Its Allies"), recipes, school records, taped memories of Emmet Travis, and tax records.

The collection was received from the donor in notebook binders each with a table of contents and an index. This arrangement has been maintained in the processing of the collection.

CONTAINER LIST

Box 1

Genealogical Data

- 1. Vol. 3: Travises of Unidentified/Unplaced/Unknown Relationship to David Travis (1816-1882)
- 2. Vol. 4, Section A: David Travis, William Didwiddie Travis and Children

Box 2

Genealogical Data

- 1. Vol. 4, Section B: Third Child of William Didwiddie Travis, Sr.: Ira Ephriam Travis and Descendants
- 2. Vol. 4, Section C: Ira Ephriam Travis and Descendants